LAWS, RESOLUTIONS

AND

MEMORIALS

OF THE

State of Montana,

PASSED AT THE

FOURTH REGULAR SESSION

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

HELD AT HELENA, THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT OF SAID STATE,
COMMENCING JANUARY 7, 1895, AND ENDING
MARCH 7, 1895.

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STATE OF MONTANA, }
SECRETARY'S OFFICE. }

I, L. ROTWITT, Secretary of State of the State of Montana, do hereby certify that the printed Laws, Resolutions and Memorials contained herein are true and correct copies of all the Enrolled Laws, Resolutions and Memorials that were passed at the Fourth Regular Session of the Legislative Assembly of said State, begun January 7th, A. D. 1895, and ending March 7th, A. D. 1895, and held at Helena, the seat of Government of said State, not contained in the Codes, with the exception of corrections in orthography and punctuation, and omission or substitute words inserted in brackets.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of said State. Done at Helena, the seat of Government of the State of Montana, this first day of August, A. D. 1895.

{ SEAL }

L. ROTWITT,
Secretary of State.

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OFFICERS AND MEMBERS

OF THE

FOURTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

GOVERNOR:

JOHN E. RICKARDS.

LIEUT. GOV. AND PRES'T OF SENATE:

ALEXANDER C. BOTKIN.

MEMBERS OF THE FOURTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF MONTANA.

SENATE.

Names of Members.	Counties Represented.	Senatorial District Represented.	Post Office.
George H. Brown	Beaverhead	1	Dillon
Alexander Metzel	Madison	2	Pullers Springs
Chas. W. Hoffman	Gallatin	3	Bozeman
George D. Greene	Jefferson	4	Boulder
C. H. Eggleston	Deer Lodge	5	Anaconda
W. H. Smead	Missoula	6	Missoula
W. L. Steele	Lewis and Clarke	7	Helena
J. W. Power	Choteau	8	Fort Benton
D. E Folsom	Meagher	9	White Sulphur Springs
Chas. R. Leonard	Silver Bow	10	Butte
Reno Swift	Custer	11	Ekalaka
Albert L. Babcock	Yellowstone	12	Billings
T. B. Cullen	Dawson	13	Glendive
E. P. Chandler	Fergus	14	Maiden
Geo. M. Hatch	Park	15	Big Timber
Timothy W. Brosnan	Cascade	16	Great Falls
W. R. Ramsdell	Flathead		Sedan
Chas. S. Hurd	Valley		Glasgow
W. K. Floweree	Teton		Choteau
Oliver C. Cooper	Ravalli		Grantsdale
J. M. Silgh	Granite		Philipsburg

SUBORDINATE OFFICERS.

Frederick H. Foster ..... Secretary
James B. Wells ..... Assistant Secretary
E. S. Stackpole ..... Sergeant-at-Arms
C. E. Wight ..... Engrossing Clerk
Mrs. Maud Davis Baker ..... Enrolling Clerk
Rev. W. D. Coombs ..... Chaplain
Louis Goodman and John W. Chandler ..... Pages

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Names of Members.	Counties Represented.	Post Office.
Alderson, W. W	Gallatin	Bozeman
Anderson, James T	Meagher	White Sulphur Springs
Auld, Joseph C	Dawson and Custer	Glendive
Baggs, Geo. T	Ravalli	Stevensville
Bennett, Willard	Granite	Royal
Bond, Joel J	Ravalli	Victor
Booth, Edwin S	Silver Bow	Butte
Bray, Edwin	Silver Bow	Butte
Brown, C. K	Lewis and Clarke	Helena
Burkett, Chas. R	Jefferson	Whitehall
Collins, W. T	Park	Hunters Hot Springs
Cooper, Walter	Gallatin	Bozeman
Cook, Geo. A	Silver Bow	Butte
Corbett, Michael	Lewis and Clarke	Helena
Craven, A. J	Lewis and Clarke	Helena
Cunningham, Harry R	Silver Bow	Butte
Edwards, Wm	Deer Lodge	Anaconda
Glasscock, W. R	Cascade	Sand Coulee
Gordon, Samuel	Custer	Miles City
Harris, J. A	Cascade	Cascade
Hedges, W. A	Fergus	Yale
Hershey, E. E	Missoula	Missoula
Hollensteiner, A	Missoula	Missoula
Hopkins, J. S	Custer	Forsyth
Horsky, John	Lewis and Clarke	Helena
Huseby, John H	Lewis and Clarke	Helena
Isdell, N. J	Madison	Pony
Jones, W. A	Beaverhead	Dillon
Joy, Allan R	Park	Livingston
Kennedy, John A	Teton	Choteau
Knippenberg, Henry	Beaverhead	Glendale
Latimer, John R	Missoula	Missoula
Lawrence, David	Silver Bow	Butte
Leiser, O	Deer Lodge	Anaconda
Losee, J. B	Deer Lodge	Anaconda
Love, A. L	Jefferson	Radersburg
Lynde, T. J	Gallatin	Salesville
Marshall, Jos	Deer Lodge	Anaconda
Metcalf, Elmer H	Silver Bow	Butte
Meyer, W. F	Park	Red Lodge
Mitchell, Mart	Lewis and Clarke	Mitchell P. O
Monteath, Jas. H	Silver Bow	Butte
Oker, Geo. W	Deer Lodge	Garrison
Oker, Joseph	Lewis and Clarke	Marysville
Paschal, Howard	Silver Bow	Butte
Reser, Andrew H	Choteau	Chinook
Reynolds, J. E	Cascade	Great Falls
Rodgers, W. B	Deer Lodge and Missoula	Deer Lodge
Rombauer, R. T	Granite	Princetown
Rossiter, Henry D	Madison	Sheridan
Ryan, J. J	Flathead	Kalispell
Shober, John	Lewis and Clarke	Helena
Shropshire, Joel S	Silver Bow	Butte
Sparks, W. J	Flathead	Kalispell
Spriggs, A. E	Meagher	Towsend
Swett, Wilbra H	Silver Bow	Butte
Tallant, D. J	Cascade	Great Falls
Von Tobel, Rudolf	Valley and Fergus	Lewistown
Williams, Stephen	Silver Bow	Butte
Winter, Harry E. G	Jefferson	Basin
Yegen, Christian	Yellowstone	Billings

SUBORDINATE OFFICERS.

E. W. Stetson ..... Chief Clerk
C. D. French ..... Assistant Chief Clerk
J. B. Mitchell ..... Enrolling Clerk
L. E. Manning ..... Engrossing Clerk
J. D. Taylor ..... Sergeant-at-Arms
W. C. Shippen ..... Chaplain
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GENERAL LAWS

OF

MONTANA.

ENACTED BY THE FOURTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

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GENERAL LAWS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 15.

AN ACT

Appropriating money to pay the salaries of the Officers and Attaches of the Senate and House of Representatives of the Fourth Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the salaries of the Officers and Attaches of the Senate and House of Representatives of the Fourth Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana.

Approved January 26, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 43.

AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Dollars for the purchase of Supplies, Books, Stationery and Furnishings for the House of Representatives and Senate of the Fourth Legislative Assembly.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the Secretary of the State of Montana

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shall furnish and deliver to the House of Representatives and Senate of the Fourth Legislative Assembly, all stationery, paper, copies of laws, reports, supplies and furnishings necessary for use in the House of Representatives and Senate during the session of said Legislative Assembly.

SEC. 2. Said supplies shall be furnished by the said Secretary upon a written order signed by the presiding officers of each of said bodies.

SEC. 3. That the sum of Two Thousand Dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay for such supplies, stationery, books and furnishings required by the said Fourth Legislative Assembly.

SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect from and after its passage and approval.

Approved February 6, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 239.

AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Dollars for the purchase of supplies, books, stationery and furnishings for the House of Representatives and Senate of the Fourth Legislative Assembly.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That in addition to the sum heretofore appropriated under the Act of Legislative Assembly of February —, 1895, the sum of Four Thousand Dollars is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay for such supplies, stationery, books, and furnishings required by the Fourth Legislative Assembly.

SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect from and after its passage and approval.

Approved 5:15 P. M., March 5, 1895.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 202.

AN ACT

To Provide for the Support of the Government of the State of Montana for the Fiscal Years 1895 and 1896.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. There is hereby levied, for the State purposes, upon all the property of the State liable to taxation, for the fiscal year of 1895, an advalorem tax of two and one-half mills on each dollar valuation of such property.

SEC. 2. There is hereby levied, for State purposes, upon all property of the State liable to taxation, for the fiscal year of 1896, an ad valorem tax of two and one-half mills on each dollar of valuation of such property.

SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved 4:20 P. M., March 2, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 372.

Introduced by Appropriation Committee.

AN ACT

To appropriate money for the Executive, Legislative and Judicial Departments for the Fiscal Years ending December 1st, A. D. 1895, and December 1st, A. D. 1896.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the following sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the sums are hereby appropriated for the objects hereinafter expressed, for the fiscal years ending December 1st, A. D. 1895 and for the fiscal year ending December 1st, A. D. 1896.

For the fiscal year ending December 1st, A. D. 1895.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

For salary of Governor, five thousand dollars.

For salary of Governor's secretary, two thousand four hundred dollars.

Office expenses (Governor's office) one thousand dollars.

For salary of Secretary of State, three thousand dollars.

For salary for clerk for Secretary of State, one thousand five hundred dollars.

Extra clerical hire (Secretary of State's office), six hundred dollars.

For indexing laws of 1895, one hundred and fifty dollars.

For office expenses (Secretary of State), six hundred dollars.

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For vault fixtures (Secretary of State's office), three hundred dollars.

To carry out the provisions of Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, relative to lands within the Northern Pacific grant, two thousand dollars.

For salary of Attorney General, three thousand dollars.

For salary of Assistant Attorney General, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For salary of law clerk for Attorney General, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For salary of stenographer of Attorney General, twelve hundred dollars.

Office and traveling expense account (Attorney General), two hundred and fifty dollars.

Office supplies (Attorney General's office) two hundred dollars.

For salary of State Examiner, three thousand dollars.

For salary of State Treasurer, three thousand dollars.

Office and traveling expense account and furniture (office State Treasurer), two hundred and fifty dollars.

Safe (office State Treasurer), seven hundred and seventy-five dollars.

For salary of clerk of State Treasurer, eighteen hundred dollars.

For salary of State Auditor, three thousand dollars.

For salary of clerk (State Auditor), eighteen hundred dollars.

Office and traveling expense account (State Auditor), three hundred dollars.

For expense of vault furniture (State Auditor), seven hundred dollars.

For salary of Superintendent of Public Instruction, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For office and traveling expenses (Superintendent of Public Instruction) five hundred dollars.

For traveling expenses of the State Board of Education, four hundred dollars.

For salary of clerk of State Board of Education, fifteen hundred dollars.

For salary of Veterinary Surgeon, three thousand dollars.

Office and traveling expense account of Veterinary Surgeon, one thousand dollars.

For salary of Boiler Inspector, two thousand four hundred dollars.

For salary of Assistant Boiler Inspector, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

For office rent and expense account (Boiler Inspector's office), five hundred dollars.

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For traveling expenses of Inspector and Assistant, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For salary of Inspector of Mines, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For salary of Deputy Inspector of Mines, six hundred dollars.

For traveling and office expense (Inspector of Mines), two thousand five hundred dollars.

For salary of Mineral Land Commissioner, from December 1st, 1894, to March 4th, 1895, seven hundred and fifty dollars.

For expense account Mineral Land Commissioner, three hundred dollars.

For salary of Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Industry, three thousand dollars.

For salary of Chief Clerk of Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Industry, one thousand five hundred dollars,

For salary of clerk of Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Industry, twelve hundred dollars.

For office and traveling expense account of Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Industry, fifteen hundred dollars.

For salary of Custodian of the Fort Ellis reservation, six hundred dollars.

For salary of the Custodian of Fort Maginnis reservation, six hundred dollars.

For salary of State Land Agent, three thousand dollars.

For salary of Clerk of Board of State Land Commissioners, fifteen hundred dollars.

For traveling and office expenses (Members of State Board of Land Commissioners), one thousand dollars.

For salary of Clerk of Board of Equalization, eighteen hundred dollars.

For office expense account (State Board of Equalization), three hundred dollars.

For traveling expense account for members of the State Board of Equalization, three hundred dollars.

For salary of clerk of State Board of Pardons, twelve hundred dollars.

Expense account, State Board of Pardons, two hundred dollars.

Office and traveling expense account (State Board of Commissioners for the Insane), two hundred dollars.

For salary of Clerk for State Board of Commissioners for the Insane, twelve hundred dollars.

For office and traveling expense account, Board of State Prison Commissioners, two hundred dollars.

For salary of Clerk of Board of State Prison Commissioners, twelve hundred dollars.

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For office supply account (Board of State Prison Commissioners), two hundred dollars.

For salary of Clerk of State Board of Examiners, twelve hundred dollars.

For supplies and expenses (Board of Examiners), one hundred and fifty dollars.

For public printing of all kinds, including printing for both houses of the Legislative Assembly for 1895, ten thousand dollars.

For codifying and printing codes, ten thousand dollars.

For salary of Librarian, twelve hundred dollars.

For salary of Assistant Librarian to have charge of Historical Department, twelve hundred dollars.

For office expense account (State Law Library), three hundred dollars.

For expense of stationery and office supplies for State officers, two thousand dollars.

For insurance of State property, four hundred dollars.

For printing and binding books, pamphlets and other necessary expenses (Historical Society) seven hundred and fifty dollars.

For insurance purposes (State Law Library), three hundred and sixty dollars.

For the purchase of law books (State Law Library), one thousand dollars.

Improvements and repairs on Western Prison building. two thousand dollars.

For care and keeping of convicts in the State Prison, fifty-five thousand dollars.

For buildings, tools and materials for manufacturing purposes. three thousand five hundred dollars.

For cash and clothing for discharged convicts, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For expense in transporting convicts from county jails to penitentiary, five thousand dollars.

For care, keeping and education of the deaf, dumb and blind and furnishing of building, fifteen thousand dollars.

For care, keeping and education of the Orphans at the Orphan Asylum, ten thousand dollars.

For the care and keeping of inmates of the Reform School, twenty thousand dollars.

For the care and keeping of patients in the Insane Asylum, one hundred and five thousand dollars.

For the maintenance of the University of Montana for the year 1895, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

For the salary of the Adjutant General, five hundred dollars.

For the salary of Ordnance Officer, three hundred dollars.

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For the armory rent and expense of ten companies at $600.00 each, six thousand dollars.

For contingent fund of the National Guard, two thousand dollars.

For encampment fund, twelve thousand five hundred dollars.

For repairing barracks and maintaining encampment grounds, five hundred dollars.

For rewards offered by the Governor, one thousand dollars.

For requisitions, one thousand dollars.

For rent of offices and apartments for State officers and Government, four thousand dollars.

Judiciary Department.

For salary of three Justices of the Supreme Court, twelve thousand dollars.

For salary of stenographer for Justices of the Supreme Court, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For office supplies (Justices of the Supreme Court), two thousand five hundred dollars.

For office supplies and furniture, two hundred dollars.

For Supreme Court Reporter and publishing reports, twenty-two hundred dollars.

For salary of Marshal of Supreme Court, twelve hundred dollars.

Legislative Department.

Per Diem of twenty-one Senators at six dollars per day, seven thousand five hundred and sixty dollars.

For mileage of twenty-one Senators at twenty cents per mile, fifteen hundred and sixty dollars and forty cents.

Per Diem of Lieutenant Governor while President of the Senate (sixty days at ten dollars per day), six hundred dollars.

Per Diem of sixty-one members of the House of Representatives, at six dollars per day, twenty-one thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars.

For mileage of sixty-one members of the House of Representatives, at twenty cents per mile, three thousand, sixty-nine dollars and sixty cents.

For extra per diem for Speaker of the House of Representatives (sixty days at four dollars per day), two hundred and forty dollars.

For incidental expense fund of the State Senate, fifteen hundred dollars.

For incidental expense fund of the House of Representatives, two thousand dollars.

For printing of both Houses of the Legislative Assembly, four thousand dollars.

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For the Fiscal Year ending December 1st, A. D. 1896.

Executive Department.

For salary of the Governor, five thousand dollars.

For salary of Governor's Private Secretary, two thousand four hundred dollars.

For office expense (Governor's office), one thousand dollars.

For salary of Secretary of State, three thousand dollars.

For salary of clerk of Secretary of State, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For office expense (Secretary of State's office), four hundred dollars.

For extra clerical hire (Secretary of State's office), six hundred dollars.

For salary of Attorney General, three thousand dollars.

For salary of Assistant Attorney, fifteen hundred dollars.

For salary of law clerk for Attorney General, fifteen hundred dollars.

For salary of stenographer for Attorney General, twelve hundred dollars.

For office and traveling expense of account of Attorney General, two hundred and fifty dollars.

For office supplies (Attorney General) two hundred dollars.

For salary for State Examiner, three thousand dollars.

For salary of State Treasurer, three thousand dollars.

For office and traveling expense account (State Treasurer), two hundred dollars.

For salary of clerk of State Treasurer, fifteen hundred dollars.

For salary of State Auditor, three thousand dollars.

For salary of clerk for State Auditor, eighteen hundred dollars.

Office and traveling expense account (State Auditor), two hundred and fifty dollars.

For salary of Superintendent of Public Instruction, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For office and traveling expense and furniture, five hundred dollars.

For office and traveling expense, State Board of Education, four hundred dollars.

For salary of Clerk, State Board of Education, fifteen hundred dollars.

For salary of Veterinary Surgeon, three thousand dollars.

For office and traveling expense account (Veterinary Surgeon) one thousand dollars.

For salary of Boiler Inspector, two thousand four hundred dollars.

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For salary of Assistant Boiler Inspector, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

For office rent and office expense of the Boiler Inspector, five hundred dollars.

For traveling expense of Inspector and Assistant, twenty-five hundred dollars.

For salary of Inspector of Mines, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For salary of Deputy Inspector of Mines, six hundred dollars.

For traveling expense account of Inspector and Deputy, and office expense, two thousand dollars.

For salary of Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Industry, three thousand dollars.

For salary of Chief Clerk of Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Industry, fifteen hundred dollars.

For salary of Clerk of Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Industry, twelve hundred dollars.

For office and traveling expense account of Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Industry, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For salary of the Custodian of the Fort Ellis reservation, six hundred dollars.

For salary of the Custodian of the Fort Maginnis reservation, six hundred dollars.

For salary of State Land Agent, three thousand dollars.

For salary of Clerk of Board of State Land Commissioners, fifteen hundred dollars.

For traveling and office expenses (Members of the State Board of Land Commissioners) one thousand dollars.

For salary of Clerk of Board of Equalization, eighteen hundred dollars.

For office expense account of State Board of Equalization, three hundred dollars.

For traveling expense of members of State Board of Equalization, three hundred dollars.

For salary of Clerk of State Board of Pardons, twelve hundred dollars.

For expense account of State Board of Pardons, one hundred dollars.

Office and traveling expense account (State Board of Commissioners for the Insane), two hundred dollars.

For salary of Clerk for State Board of Commissioners for the Insane, twelve hundred dollars.

For office and traveling expense account, Board of State Prison Commissioners, one hundred and fifty dollars.

For salary of Clerk of Board of State Prison Commissioners, twelve hundred dollars.

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For office supply account (Board of State Prison Commissioners), two hundred dollars.

For salary of Clerk of Board of Examiners, twelve hundred dollars.

For supplies and expenses (Board of Examiners), one hundred and fifty dollars.

For public printing of all kinds, ten thousand dollars.

For salary of Librarian, twelve hundred dollars.

For salary of Assistant Librarian to have charge of Historical Department, twelve hundred dollars.

For office expense account (State Law Library), two hundred dollars.

For expense of stationery and office supplies for State officers, two thousand dollars.

For printing and binding books and pamphlets and other necessary expenses (Historical Society), seven hundred and fifty dollars.

For the purchase of law books (State Law Library), one thousand dollars.

For improvements and repairs on Western Prison building, one thousand dollars.

For care and keeping of convicts in the State Prison, sixty thousand dollars.

For cash and clothing for discharged convicts, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For expense in transporting convicts from county jails to penitentiary, five thousand dollars.

For care, and keeping and education of the deaf, dumb and blind, fifteen thousand dollars.

For care, keeping and education of the orphans at the Orphan Asylum, ten thousand dollars.

For the care and keeping of inmates in the Reform School, twenty thousand dollars.

For the care and keeping of patients in the Insane Asylum, one hundred and ten thousand dollars.

For the maintenance of the University of Montana for the year 1896, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

For the salary of the Adjutant General, five hundred dollars.

For the salary of Ordinance Officer, three hundred dollars.

For armory rent and expense of ten companies at $600.00 each, six thousand dollars.

For contingent Fund of the National Guard, two thousand dollars.

For encampment fund, twelve thousand five hundred dollars.

For repairing barracks and maintaining encampment grounds, five hundred dollars.

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For rewards offered by the Governor, one thousand dollars.

For requisitions, one thousand dollars.

For rent of office and apartments for the State Officers and Government, four thousand dollars.

Judiciary Department.

The salaries of three Justices of the Supreme Court, twelve thousand dollars.

For salary of Stenographer for Justices of the Supreme Court, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For office supplies (Justices of the Supreme Court), two hundred dollars.

For salary of thirteen District Judges at three thousand five hundred each, forty-five thousand five hundred dollars.

For one-half or salary of twenty-three County Attorneys, eighteen thousand two hundred dollars.

For salary of Clerk of the Supreme Court, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For office supplies and furniture, two hundred dollars.

For salary of Supreme Court Reporter and furnishing reports, twenty-two hundred dollars.

For salary of Marshal of the Supreme Court, twelve hundred dollars.

Sec. 2. That all moneys now or hereafter appropriated for any specific purpose, shall, after the expiration of the time for which so appropriated, be covered back into the several funds from which originally appropriated; Provided, however, that any unexpended balance in any specific appropriation may be used for either of said years, for which such appropriation has been made.

Sec. 3. That Section 1, of an act entitled, "An Act to cover Certain Surplus Moneys back into the State Treasury," approved March 7, 1891, is hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. That Section 2, of an act entitled, "An Act to appropriate money for the ordinary expenses of the State Government for the Fiscal year ending December 1st, A. D. 1891, and December 1st, A. D. 1892," approved March 6th, 1891, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. This Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved 11:40 A. M., March 13, 1895.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 217.

AN ACT

Appropriating certain moneys for payment of sundry expenses of the State Board of Charities and Reform.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of twenty-one dollars and fifteen cents, ($21.15) be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the following named persons for expenses incurred as members of the State Board of Charities and Reform:

Laura E. Howey, for expenses visiting the Insane Asylum and State Prison, $6.95.

W. W. VanOrsdel, for expenses visiting the State Prison, Insane Asylum and Deaf and Dumb Asylum, $4.75.

J. H. Crooker, for expenses visiting the State Prison and Insane Asylum, $9.45.

All of the above expenses being incurred in the year 1894.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the persons and for the amounts specified in Section 1, of this Act and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved February 27, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 219.

AN ACT

To provide for the payment of Barnard Brown for services rendered the State as an expert in examining the books of the State Treasurer and State Auditor.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of six hundred dollars ($600.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay Barnard Brown for services rendered the State in the years 1893 and 1894, as an expert in examining the books of the State Treasurer and State Auditor.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of Barnard Brown for the sum named in Section 1 of this Act, and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be in force from and after its approval and passage,

Approved February 27, 1895.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 178.

AN ACT

Appropriating money for the relief of G. R. Metten for services rendered the State of Montana during the year 1893, drawing designs for the Great Seal of the State of Montana.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of twenty dollars ($20,00) be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the relief of G. R. Metten for services rendered the State in the year 1893, drawing designs for the Great Seal of the State of Montana.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the said G. R. Metten for the sum of twenty dollars ($20.00) and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Approved March 2, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 182.

AN ACT

To Appropriate Money for the Payment of Claims of certain Persons for Services rendered to and Supplies Furnished for the Deaf and Dumb School at Boulder.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of seven hundred, fifty-eight and fifty-nine one-hundredths dollars ($758.59), or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the following named persons for services rendered to the Deaf and Dumb School, and supplies furnished for such institution during the year 1893:

T. C. Glora	$ 45 00
Mrs. M. L. Cunningham	100 00
Anna M. Wood	100 00
Lee Yuen	6 25
H. L. Shively	6 00
Hop Lee	32 00
Mary S. Mitchell	18 75
T. A. Wickes	42 55
J. E. Wild	5 00
B. F. Hoopes & Son	107 79

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J. C. Wagner	$ 5 00
J. H. Miller	17 61
Maxfield & Gillman	85 69
Gaffney Mercantile Company	91 63
Boulder Mercantile Company	25 52
Boulder Drug Company	9 40
Mrs. E. Cocannon	35 00
I. A. Leighton, M. D.	25 00
Total	$758 59

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the persons and for the amount set opposite their names, as shown in section 1 of this act and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This act shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Approved 3:40 P. M., March 2. 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 218.

AN ACT

To Provide for the payment of the Claim of W. J. Kennedy for services rendered the State in January and February, 1893, as Deputy Clerk of the Supreme Court.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, ($150.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay W. J. Kennedy for services rendered the State as Deputy Clerk of the Supreme Court in the months of January and February, 1893.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the said W. J. Kennedy for the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, ($150.00) and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be in force from and after its passage.

Approved 8:05 P. M., March 2, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 216.

AN ACT

To appropriate Money for the Payment of Claims of Certain Persons for Services rendered to and Supplies furnished for the Orphans Home.

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Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of one thousand, seven hundred, thirty-eight and forty-seven, one hundredths dollars, ($1,738.47) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the following named persons for services rendered to the Orphans Home and supplies furnished for such Institution in the year 1894.

Mrs. Jennie Hart	$ 51 00
J. W. Hartwell	59 36
Mrs. E. L. Smith	48 96
J. W. Kimpt	43 20
Mrs. R. R. Tovey	70 00
W. F. Fergus	27 28
R. W. Page	85 15
Miss Maytie Utley	74 00
E. F. Hanley	353 95
Mary Oliver	66 00
C. L. Walcott	68 00
F. A. Taylor	117 26
Frank S. Waters	61 50
George Comfort	300 00
George F. White	206 75
T. A. Wickes	87 56
William Eayers	10 50
Joseph Glasser	8 00

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the persons named and for the amounts set down opposite their names as shown in Section 1 of this Act and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved 8:10 P. M., March 2, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 220.

AN ACT

For the Relief of Thomas Matthews for Expenses Incurred as a Member of the State Purchasing Board in the Year 1894.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of fourteen dollars and forty cents ($14.40) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay Thomas Matthews for expenses incurred in attendance at a meeting of the State Purchasing Board held at Helena in the year 1894.

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SEC. 2. The State Auditor is authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the said Thomas Matthews for the amount named in Section 1 of this Act and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same

SEC. 3. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved March 2, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 221.

AN ACT

For the relief of John F. Forbis for expenses incurred as a member of the State Board of Education in the year 1894.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of twelve dollars and forty cents ($12.40) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay John F. Forbis for expenses incurred by him in the year 1894 as a member of the State Board of Education, in attendance at a meeting of said Board held in Helena,

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the said John F. Forbis for the amount named in Section 1 of this Act and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be in force from and after its passage.

Approved 9:25 P. M., March 2, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 177.

AN ACT

Appropriating money for the relief of Mitchell and Musigbrod for the care and keeping of the Insane in the year 1893.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of two thousand, seven hundred, thirty seven and fifty one hundredths dollars ($2,737.50) be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay Mitchell and Musigbrod for balance due them under contract for the care and keeping of the Insane in the year 1893.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the said Mitchell and Musigbrod

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for the sum of two thousand, seven hundred, thirty-seven and fifty one hundredths dollars, ($2,737.50) and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall become effective from and after its passage.

Approved 11:55 A. M., March 4, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 206.

AN ACT

Appropriating Money for the Payment of Statistics Furnished the State by County Assessors for the years 1891, 1892 and 1893.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of two thousand, one hundred, forty-eight and forty one hundredths dollars ($2,148.40) be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for the following named persons:

1st. For George E. Newman, Assessor of Custer County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $202.00.

2nd. For John H. Simpson, Assessor of Ravalli County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $142.40.

3rd. For P. F. Boland, Assessor of Silver Bow County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $306.20.

4th. For T. P. McDonald, Assessor of Park County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $105.20.

5th. For J. J. Hennessy, Assessor Meagher County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $120.20.

6th. For William J. Foreman, Assessor of Madison County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $129.60.

7th. J. M. Fly, Assessor of Gallatin County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $116.60.

8th. W. J. Bickett, Assessor of Lewis and Clarke County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $176.60.

9th. S. K. Deverill, Assessor of Yellowstone County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $64.80.

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10th. For O. D. Polley, Assessor of Valley County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $5.60.

11th. For S. F. Ralston, Assessor of Teton County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $19.00.

12th. For Alex Gillam, Assessor of Jefferson County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $27.00.

13th. For W. E. Albright, Assessor of Granite County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $24.60.

14th. For J. H. Graves, Assessor of Flathead County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $74.60.

15th. For J. O. Gilkerson, Assessor of Fergus County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $46.00.

16th. Daniel B. Hertz, Assessor of Deer Lodge County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $72.20.

17th. For M. H. Brown, Assessor of Dawson County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $56.40.

18th. For Charles D. Elliot, Assessor of Cascade County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $96.20.

19th. For A. J. Noyes, Assessor of Beaverhead County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $74.20.

20th. For C. W. Berry, Assessor of Missoula County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $131.00.

21st. For James H. Rowe, Assessor of Choteau County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $68.40.

22nd. For Dominick Cavanaugh, Assessor of Dawson County, for statistics furnished the State under provisions of Section 1974, Fifth Division, General Laws, $89.60.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the persons and for the amounts set down opposite their names as shown in Section 1 of this Act and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be in full force from and after its passage.

Approved 5-35 P. M., March 5, 1895.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 357.

AN ACT

Appropriating Money for the payment of Claims of Certain Persons against the State of Montana for Material Furnished.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of one thousand, two hundred, eighty-nine and seventy, one-hundredths dollars ($1,289.70) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated for the payment of the following claims against the State of Montana for material furnished the State in the years 1893 and 1894 :

Helena Book and Stationery Company, for rental of Typewriting machines used in the Third Legislative Assembly, $57.00.

Helena Power and Light Company, for electric Supplies furnished the Third Legislative Assembly, $32.70.

Bennett & Peck Heating and Ventilating Company balance due on contract for Heating plant furnished State Reform School, $1,200.00.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the claimants as shown in Section 1 of this Act, and for the amounts set down opposite the names of each respectively and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved 12:05 P. M., March 13, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 333.

AN ACT

Appropriating money for the payment of the claims of Daisy Doyle, for services rendered the State, Lewis and Clarke County for balance due on account of rent of State offices and John Matthieson, for material furnished the State.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of two thousand, nine hundred, thirty-seven and twenty, one-hundredths dollars, ($2,937.20) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is here-

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by appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated to pay the following claims against the State of Montana:

Daisy Doyle, for services rendered the State as teacher in the State Deaf and Dumb School, 6 months, in the year 1893, $300.00.

Lewis and Clarke County, for balance due on account of rental of State offices in the years 1893 and 1894, $2,000.00.

James Mattieson, for stone furnished for the penitentiary wall. $637.20.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the claimants and for the amounts due each respectively, as shown in Section 1 of this Act and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved 8:30 P. M., March 19, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 371.

AN ACT

Appropriating money to pay the claim of J. B. Herford against the State for services rendered.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of one hundred. thirty-seven and fifty one-hundredths dollars, ($137.50) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the claim of J. B. Herford against the State of Montana for services rendered.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the said J. B. Herford for the amount specified in Section 1 of this Act and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved 8:35 P. M., March 19, 1895.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 263.

AN ACT

Appropriating Money for the Payment of Certain Persons for Material Furnished and Labor Performed on Account of Contingent Expenses, National Guard of Montana.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of Seven Hundred, seventeen and ninety five one-hundredths dollars, ($717.95) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to pay the claims of the following persons for labor performed and material furnished on account of contingent expenses of the National Guard of Montana, as shown below:

Miners Lumber Co., Lockers, etc., Butte Armory	$571 50
Hennessey Mercantile Co., Shades, Butte Armory	40 00
H. C. Kessler, Radiator and Bolts, Butte Armory	27 70
Schatzlin Paint Co., Wax, etc	6 75
A. H. Dowd, Labor Butte Armory	6 00
H. Guenther, Labor Butte Armory	3 00
A. J. Davis, Repairs Band Uniform	63 00

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the persons and for the amounts set down opposite their names as shown in Section 1 of this Act and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved 4:10 P. M., March 4, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 264.

AN ACT

Appropriating Money to Pay the Claim of the First National Bank of Butte, Assignee, for Subsistence Provided by Harry Adams for the members of the National Guard of Montana While on Duty at Butte in July, 1894.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of two hundred, eighty-nine and ninety one-hundredths dollars, ($289.90) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appro-

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priated, to pay the claim of the First National Bank of Butte, Assignee, for subsistence provided by Harry Adams for members of the National Guard of Montana, while on duty at Butte in the month of July, 1894.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the said First National Bank of Butte, Assignee, for the amount specified in Section 1 of this Act and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved 4:13 P. M., March 4, 1894.

HOUSE BILL NO. 262.

AN ACT

Appropriating Money for the Payment of Claim of A. J. Davis for Money advanced to pay for Supplies used by the National Guard of Montana during the State Encampment held at Fort Ellis in August, 1894.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of one thousand, seventy-five and forty one-hundredths dollars, ($1,075.40), or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to pay the claim of A. J. Davis for money advanced for the purchase of supplies for the use of the National Guard of Montana during the State encampment held at Fort Ellis in the Month of August, 1894.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the said A. J. Davis for the amount specified in Section 1 of this Act and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved 4:15 P. M., March 4, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 257.

AN ACT

Appropriating Money for the Payment of the Officers and Privates of Companies B. F. & G. and Officers of the Regimental Staff, First Regiment Infantry, National Guard Montana, for duty performed at Butte in July, 1894.

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Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of one thousand, three hundred, fifty-five and fifty one-hundredths dollars ($1,355.50) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the following persons comprising the officers and privates of Companies B. F. and G. and officers of the Regimental Staff, First Regiment Infantry, National Guard Montana for duty performed at Butte in the month of July, 1894.

Charles Gardner	$15 00
William McGrath	3 00
John Cleary	9 00
Michael Joy	6 00
Timothy Murphy	6 00
John Powers	6 00
Edward Mahoney	6 00
Erin Rice	30 00
Andrew I. Douglas	30 00
Quirin Crowley	6 00
William Copeland	60 00
John Coohey	6 00
Stephen Jeans	6 00
Stephen Holland	6 00
John Coulan	6 00
Patrick Claery	6 00
Henry Mueller	25 00
W. L. Hill	22 50
Gus Nickel	22 50
A. Kepner	27 00
J. Ossenbroug	9 00
Herman Veelman	9 00
D. Hastings	3 00
Carl Engel	3 00
James McLeod	9 00
Henry Guenther	3 00
P. Norton	3 00
Gus Hess	60 00
D. O'Rourke	9 00
Tom Copperly	24 00
Gus Harder	21 00
A. Larsen	3 00
F. Lund	3 00
A. Phillips	3 00
Robert Richter	30 00
Tom Boland	3 00
Charles Grund	9 00

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Tom Stephens	$ 3 00
Joe Kouer	3 00
F. Rentz	3 00
A. Kippler	12 00
Joe Binder	21 00
L. Johnston	12 00
Earnest Loesch	3 00
William Lutts	3 00
O. Horning	9 00
Dan Harley	9 00
George Maedel	30 00
A. P. Johnston	12 00
John Jones	12 00
Frank Otis	6 00
O. King	30 00
H. Carpenter	12 00
P. Callan	12 00
H. Ellis	15 00
A. C. Sandburg	12 00
Tom Jienkins	6 00
J. Trottin	6 00
E. P. Ruth	6 00
Elmer Young	9 00
F. Loose	9 00
B. H. Cook	15 00
E W. Wynne	15 00
B. E. Calkins	9 00
E. S. Paxson	6 00
J. M. McCrimmon	6 00
W. G. Tuchor	58 50
T. J. Bordeaux	9 00
W. B. Knowlton	6 00
A. H. Doud	58 50
J. Holland	6 00
C. Blackburn	6 00
F. Brooks	6 00
R. H. Burke	9 00
H. Carus	6 00
J. W. Edwards	6 00
A. Frazer	6 00
O. Fayrum	6 00
J. D. Knowlton	6 00
A. Hoimbach	6 00
C. M. Lomon	6 00
John D. Moickle	21 00
J. R. Morrison	31 50
J. T. McClusky	6 00

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S McDonald	$ 6 00
C. F. Nungosser	6 00
G. Noyes	6 00
R. H. Paxson	6 00
C. E. Rogers	6 00
H. C. Rolfe	18 00
T. G. Wilson	6 00
W. G. Watson	6 00
F. York	6 00
H. C. Kessler	30 00
C. S. Schoemaker	6 00
J. S. Hammond	30 00
George F. Marsh	120 00
Charles W. Lane	30 00

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the persons and for the amounts shown to be due each respectively as specified in Section 1 of this Act and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be in effect from and after its passage.

Approved 4:20 P. M., March 4, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 256.

AN ACT

Appropriating money for the payment of certain members of the National Guard of Montana, for duty performed at Helena in the months of May and July, 1894.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of three hundred, thirty-four and fifty, one-hundredths dollars, ($334.50) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay certain members of the National Guard of Montana for duty performed at Helena in the months of May and July, 1894, as follows:

Serg't Criley	$ 6 00
Serg't Biggs	3 00
Corp. Corey	3 00
Private Steinmetz	12 00
Private Stevens	3 00
Private- Kleinschmidt	9 00
Private Naegele	6 00
Private Cooper	9 00

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Private Logan	$ 3 00
Private Herz	3 00
Private Guimont	6 00
Private Tuttle	6 00
Private Sutton	3 00
Private Hilderbrand	3 00
Private Monroe	3 00
Frank A. Hayward	6 00
C. E. Beary	6 00
E. Hogarth	3 00
J. B. Hansen	25 50
S. Townswick	9 00
Jess Woods	9 00
William Wing	27 00
C. Goettlich	21 00
J. L. W. Greiff	6 00
L. Gernold	3 00
C. Glick	3 00
Fred Hayward	3 00
Charles Bean	31 50
Herman Ruth	33 00
George Berlin	10 50
J. W. Hayward	31 50
J. S. Edwards	18 00
C. Glick	3 00
Charles Van Allen	7 50

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of the persons and for the amounts shown to be due each respectively as specified in Section 1 of this Act and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved 4:23 P. M., March 4. 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 261.

AN ACT

Appropriating money for the payment of the claim of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company for the transportation of the various Companies and Officers comprising the National Guard of Montana during the State Encampment at Fort Ellis in August, 1894.

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Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of eight hundred, eight and seventy-five one-hundredths Dollars, ($808.75) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the claim of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company for the transportation of the various Companies and Officers comprising the National Guard of Montana, from various points on the claimants railroad to Fort Ellis and return during the State Encampment held at Fort Ellis in the month of August, 1894.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the said Northern Pacific Railroad Company for the amount specified in Section 1 of this Act and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved 11:45 A. M., March 6, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 258.

AN ACT

Appropriating Money for the Payment of Claims of Various Persons Comprising the Regimental Band, First Infantry, National Guard, Montana, for Services rendered the State.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of five hundred and four dollars ($504.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the claims of various persons comprising the Regimental Band, First Infantry, National Guard of Montana, as shown by the Muster Roll of said Regimental Band, for services rendered the State during the State Encampment, National Guard of Montana, held at Fort Ellis in the month of August, 1894, and the State Auditor is hereby authorized to draw his warrants in favor of the following persons, for the amount set down opposite their names, and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

S. H. Treloar	$24 00
C. H. Griffin	24 00
Elijah Stanaway	24 00
Thomas Burt	24 00
J. C. Etzensperger	24 00
John Beard	24 00

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Thomas Walters	$24 00
Ben Bonono	24 00
Mike Batista,	24 00
William Trethewey	24 00
Rd. Veale	24 00
John Paull	24 00
William Roberts	24 00
William Barnett	24 00
Jos. Svey	24 00
Thomas Treloar	24 00
Robert Tabb	24 00
Eli Richards	24 00
Charles Roberts	24 00
Joe Coperi	24 00
John Crossman	24 00

SEC. 2. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved 11:50 A. M., March 6, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 170.

AN ACT

To provide for the payment of the claim of the Montana National Bank of Helena, Montana, for money advanced to the State for carrying on and maintaining the State Reform School.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of two thousand, nine hundred forty-seven and forty-five one-hundredths dollars ($2,947.45), or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the Montana National Bank, of Helena, Montana, for moneys advanced the State of Montana, from February to December, 1894, for carrying on and maintaining the State Reform School at Miles City.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the Montana National Bank, of Helena, Montana, for the sum of two thousand, nine hundred forty-seven and forty-five one-hundredths dollars ($2,947.45), and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 171.

AN ACT

To provide for the payment of the claim of the First National Bank, of Miles City, Montana, for money advanced to the State for carrying on and maintaining the State Reform School.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of two thousand, three hundred, twenty-eight and thirty-six one-hundredths dollars ($2,328.36), or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the First National Bank of Miles City, Montana, for moneys advanced the State of Montana from February to December, 1894, for carrying on and maintaining the State Reform School at Miles City, Montana.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the First National Bank of Miles City, Montana, for the sum of two thousand, three hundred, twenty-eight and thirty-six one-hundredths dollars, ($2,328.36), and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved February 27, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 181.

AN ACT

To provide for the payment of Larsen and Smith for building a stable for the State Reform School.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of seven hundred dollars, ($700.00), be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay Larsen and Smith for the building of a stable for the State Reform School.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the said Larsen and Smith for the sum of seven hundred dollars, ($700.00), and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Approved February 27, 1895.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 180.

AN ACT

Appropriating Money for the Relief of Certain Persons for Furnishing Supplies and for Services Rendered to the State Reform School in the Year 1894.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of one hundred, seventy-eight and twenty-two one-hundredths dollars, ($178.22), be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to pay the claims of the following named persons for supplies furnished and services rendered to the State Reform School during the year 1894.

Thomas Salverson	$ 76 97
Richard L. Clark	27 00
J W. Howarth	35 00
N. P. Sorenson	9 75
E. Inglett	7 75
A. B. Lindberg	21 75
	$178 22

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized to draw his warrants in favor of the persons named and for the amounts set down opposite their names as shown in section 1 of this act and the State Treasurer is authorized to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

Approved 8:18 P. M., March 2, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 174.

AN ACT

To provide for the Payment of the Claim of the American National Bank of Helena, Montana, for Money Advanced to the State for Carrying on and Maintaining the State Reform School.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of one thousand, eight hundred, fifty-six and sixteen one-hundredths dollars, ($1,856.16) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the American National Bank of

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Helena, Montana, for moneys advanced the State of Montana from February to December, 1894, for carrying on and maintaining the State Reform School at Miles City, Montana.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the American National Bank of Helena, Montana, for the sum of one thousand, eight hundred, fifty-six, and sixteen one-hundredths dollars ($1,856.16) and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved 8:25 P. M., March 2, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 172.

AN ACT

To provide for the payment of the claim of the Merchants National Bank of Helena, Montana, for money advanced to the State for carrying on and maintaining the State Reform School.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of two thousand nine hundred, seventy-three and twenty-eight one-hundredths dollars ($2,973.28), or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the Merchants National Bank of Helena, Montana, for moneys advanced the State of Montana from February to December, 1894, for carrying on and maintaining the State Reform School at Miles City.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the Merchants National Bank of Helena, Montana, for the sum of two thousand, nine hundred, seventy-three and twenty-eight one-hundredths dollars, ($2,973.28) and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved 8:30 P. M., March 2, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 173.

AN ACT

To provide for the payment of the claim of the Helena National Bank of Helena, Montana, for money advanced to the State for carrying on and maintaining the State Reform School.

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Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of two thousand, thirty-seven and six one-hundredths dollars ($2,037.06) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the Helena National Bank of Helena, Montana, for moneys advanced the State of Montana from February to December, 1894, for carrying on and maintaining the State Reform School at Miles City.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the Helena National Bank of Helena, Montana, for the sum of two thousand, thirty-seven and six one-hundredths dollars, ($2,037.06) and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved 8:33 P. M., March 2, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 222.

AN ACT

To provide for the payment of the claims of certain banks of the State of Montana, for money advanced to the State for the purpose of making an exhibit at the Mid-Winter Fair held in San Francisco, California. in the year 1894.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of four thousand, one hundred, eighty-five and fifty-eight, one-hundredths dollars, ($4,185.58) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the claims of the following banks of the State of Montana for money advanced to the State by the said banks for the purpose of making a State exhibit at the Mid-Winter Fair held in San Francisco, California, in the year 1894:

First. Bank of Columbia Falls, Columbia Falls, Montana, Principal, $5.00; Interest, 31c; Total $5.31.

Second. Larabie Brothers Bank, Deer Lodge, Montana, Principal, $200.00; Interest, $6.30; Total $206.30.

Third. First National Bank, Butte, Montana, Principal $980,06; Interest, $57.06; Total $1,037.12.

Fourth. Helena National Bank, Helena, Montana, Principal, $898.22; Interest, $54.30; Total $952.52.

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Fifth. W. A. Clark & Brothers, Bankers, Butte, Montana, Principal, $982.55; Interest, $35.46; Total $1.018.01.

Sixth. First National Bank, Anaconda, Montana, Principal, $915.45; Interest, $50.87; Total $966.32.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of said banks and for the amounts shown in Section 1 of this Act and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved 9:15 P. M., March 2, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 285.

AN ACT

Relating to Claims of Certain Banks Against the State of Montana for Interest Due on Money Advanced for the Carrying on and Maintenance of the State Reform School.

Whereas: The following named Banks of the State of Montana, to-wit: The First National Bank of Miles City; The Merchants National Bank; The Helena National Bank; The American National Bank, and the Montana National Bank of Helena, Montana, advanced to the State of Montana in the year 1894 an amount aggregating twelve thousand, one hundred, forty-two and thirty-one, one-hundredths dollars, ($12,142.31), for the purpose of carrying on and maintaining the State Reform School, and,

Whereas: The said Banks were not reimbursed by the State for the amounts so advanced by them, aggregating Twelve Thousand, one hundred, forty-two and thirty-one, one-hundredths dollars, ($12,142.31), for several months after said money had been advanced on account of there being no money in the State Treasury in the proper fund out of which to pay said Banks, and,

Whereas: Said Banks make a claim against the State for interest upon the money so advanced at the rate six of per cent per annum for all moneys so paid out and expended, therefore,

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the First National Bank of Miles City, Montana; The Montana National Bank; The Merchants National Bank; The American National Bank, and the Helena National Bank of Helena, Montana, be, and are hereby authorized to submit to the State Board of Examiners their claims against

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the State for interest due on the amounts advanced by them, said interest amounting to the sum of Three hundred, fifty-nine and nine one-hundredths dollars, ($359.09).

SEC. 2. That the sum of Three hundred, fifty-nine and nine one-hundredths dollars, ($359.09), or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the claims of said Banks for interest on money so advanced the State as aforesaid, and the State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants in favor of said Banks for the amounts due each as allowed by the State Board of Examiners and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved 11:45 A. M., March 13, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 205.

AN ACT

Appropriating Money for the Payment of Reward to Stephen Bywater.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of five hundred dollars ($500.00) be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay Stephen Bywater for reward earned in the year 1893, for the arrest of persons robbing a train on the Great Northern Railway in the year 1892.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the said Stephen Bywater for the sum of five hundred dollars ($500.00) and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This act shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

Approved 8:40 P. M., March 2, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 112.

AN ACT

To Appropriate $1,000 for the Payment of Reward for Capture of Certain Indians.

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Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of one thousand dollars be and the same his hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to be paid for the capture of two Indians, La La See and Pierre Paul, who were charged and convicted of the crime of murder in the county of Missoula, State of Montana, in the year 1891.

SEC. 2. That the State Board of Examiners shall be entitled to determine, upon competent proof, who shall be entitled to the reward and what part, if any, and upon such finding of the board, the State Auditor shall be required to draw a warrant therefor in favor of the party or parties entitled thereto for an amount not exceeding in the aggregate $1,000.

Approved March 2, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 378.

Introduced by Monteath—By Request.

AN ACT

To authorize the State Board of Examiners to examine into the claims of J. D. Taylor.

Whereas, it appears that J. D. Taylor did not, upon the organization of the House of Representatives in the year 1891, receive the entire compensation agreed upon by such Legislative Assembly, for services rendered as Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Representatives in the years 1890 and 1891 and

Whereas, the bills and vouchers now on file in the office of the State Board of Examiners, fail to disclose the exact amount due to the said J. D. Taylor, for services rendered as Sergeant-at-Arms, of the House of Representatives, as aforesaid; therefore

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the State Board of Examiners are hereby authorized and empowered to consider, examine and audit any claim that may be presented to them, prior to June 1, 1895 by J. D. Taylor, for services rendered as Sergeant-at-Arms, of the House of Representatives of the State of Montana for the years 1890 and 1891.

SEC. 2. The provisions of an act entitled "An Act to prescribe the duties of the State Board of Examiners," approved February 12, 1891, are hereby made applicable and shall govern the Board in considering and auditing said claim.

SEC. 3. The sum of Six hundred and forty ($640.00) dollars is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury

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not otherwise appropriated to pay any claims that may be presented, allowed and approved by the State Board of Examiners under the provisions of this Act.

SEC. 4. All Acts and parts of Acts in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

Approved 9:05 P. M., March 19, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 109.

AN ACT

Relating to Certain Claims of Granite County Against the State of Montana.

Whereas, the executive officers of Granite County in the year 1893, levied a tax of one-half of one mill on the entire assessed valuation of all the property in the county for the "Stock Indemnity Fund," instead of a tax of one-half mill on the dollar, of the assessed valuation of all cattle, horses and mules in the county; and

Whereas, By such erroneous levy and collection of the special tax, the county treasurer of Granite county paid to the State of Montana the sum of one thousand four hundred and three and six one-hundredths dollars ($1,403.06) in excess of that required by law; therefore,

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the County Commissioners of Granite County, be, and are hereby authorized to submit to the State Board of Examiners a claim against the State for moneys collected and paid by the county treasurer of said county to the State Treasurer under and by virtue of an excessive and erroneous levy of one-half of one mill on the dollar of the assessed value of all property in the county in 1893, the sum of one thousand four hundred and three and six one-hundredths dollars ($1,403.06.)

SEC. 2. Upon an examination of such claim, the State Board of Examiners shall require the commissioners of Granite County to furnish satisfactory proof and competent evidence that the executive officers of Granite County collected the sum of one thousand four hundred and three and six one-hundredths dollars ($1,403.06) from the taxpayers of said county in the year 1893, in excess of that allowed and required by law, and that the county treasurer erroneously paid the sum to the State Treasurer.

SEC. 3. In considering said claim the State Board of Examiners shall be governed by the provisions of "An Act Prescribing the Duties of the State Board of Examiners," approved February 12th, 1891.

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SEC. 4. The sum of one thousand four hundred and three and six one-hundredths dollars ($1,403.06) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of the "Stock Indemnity Fund" to pay any claim that may be allowed by the State Board of Examiners, under the provisions of this Act, and the State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant for the amount allowed by the State Board of Examiners and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 5. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved 5:00 P. M., March 2, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 175.

AN ACT

To enable the City of Helena to have certain bonds heretofore issued, declared to be outside and in excess of the three per cent. limit of indebtedness.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. The City of Helena, Montana, is authorized to submit to the taxpayers of said city affected thereby, at the next general election of said City, the question whether or not certain bonds of said City heretofore issued pursuant to the provisions of an act of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana, entitled "An Act to enable certain cities and towns to incur indebtedness," approved September 14th, 1887, of the face value of $150,000.00, and certain other bonds of said City heretofore issued pursuant to the provisions of an act of the said Legislative Assembly, entitled "An Act to amend an Act to enable certain cities and towns to incur indebtedness," approved February 28th, 1889, of the face value of $130,000.00, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of $280,000.00, for the construction and maintenance of a sewerage system in and for the said City of Helena, shall be deemed, taken and held to have been issued in conformity with the provisions of Section 6 of Article 13 of the Constitution of Montana, relative to indebtedness in excess of the three per cent. limit, and that such bonds, and the indebtedness represented thereby be taken, deemed and held to be outside and in excess of the said three per cent limit.

SEC. 2. All citizens of the United States, without regard to sex, who have resided in the State of Montana one year, and in the City of Helena three months next preceding the said election, and who were assessed for tax upon property in said City

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by the last assessment for State and County taxes, shall have the right to vote at said election, upon said question.

SEC. 3. Upon a separate official ballot, of such size as shall be designated and provided by the City Council of said City of Helena, to be used at said election, shall be printed in separate lines, "For extension of Limit of Indebtedness on account sewer bonds," and "Against extension of limit of indebtedness on account sewer bonds," and the voter shall indicate preference by erasing one of said lines.

SEC. 4. The votes on this question cast at such election shall be canvassed and the result declared in such manner as is the vote for City Officers in said City.

SEC. 5. If at said election as hereinbefore provided, a majority of all votes cast shall be "For extension of limit of indebtedness on account sewer bonds," then, and in that event it shall be taken, deemed, considered and held that the said $280,000.00 worth of sewer bonds so issued as aforesaid, and the indebtedness represented thereby, is an authorized indebtedness outside and in excess of the three per cent limit as provided in said Section 6, Article 13 of the Constitution, otherwise not.

SEC. 6. This Act to take effect from and after its passage and approval.

Approved 10:12 P. M., March 6, 1895.

SENATE BILL NO. 4.

AN ACT

To legalize the proceedings of the City Council of the City of Great Falls, in reference to the purchase of lands lying outside the city limits, for park purposes, to confirm the title of said city to the lands so purchased, and to legalize warrants issued in payment therefor.

Whereas, the City Council of the City of Great Falls has heretofore purchased from Robert L. McCulloh, executor and trustee of the estate of Charles A. Broadwater, Thomas A. Marlow, administrator and trustee of the estate of Charles A. Broadwater, Clayton W. Stevenson and Rosa M. Stevenson, his wife, James Chambers and Adela Chambers, his wife, David Thomas and Annie Thomas, his wife, Timothy E. Collins and Lovinia A. Collins, his wife, Charles M. Webster, Trustee, George H. Stanton, H. O. Chowen and Agnes B. Chowen, his wife, George W. Taylor and Mary P. Taylor, his wife, Arthur E. Dickerman, Robert P. R. Gordon and Isabelle S. Gordon, his wife, Eran S. McCord, and J. B. Leslie, Trustee, certain

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lands outside of the corporate limits of said city, for park purposes, and caused warrants to be issued in payment therefor upon the park fund of said city, and received conveyances to the said city of the lands so purchased and caused the same to be recorded in the office of the Clerk and Recorder of the County of Cascade, State of Montana, at pages 409, 410, 411, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417 and 418 of Volume 2 of Deeds, pages 552 and 554 of Volume 9 of Deeds, pages 168 and 169 of Volume 15 of Deeds, and at pages 203 and 204 of Book 2 of Quitclaim deeds:

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That all acts and proceedings of the City Council of the City of Great Falls, heretofore had in respect to the purchase of lands lying outside of the city limits of said city for park purposes, are hereby legalized and made valid, and all warrants heretofore issued in payment for said lands are legalized and hereby declared to be valid and payable out of the funds of the said city applicable to the purchase of land for parks, and all conveyances of such lands heretofore made to such city are hereby legalized and the title of the lands so conveyed confirmed in the said city.

SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 26, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 85.

AN ACT

To appropriate funds for the institution and maintenance of the University of Montana, and to provide for the expenditure thereof.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That there be, and there is hereby appropriated, for the institution and maintenance of the University of Montana for the years 1895 and 1896.

1. $13,400.00 out of the University income fund now to the credit of said fund with the Treasurer of Montana.

2. All moneys that shall be received during the years 1895 and 1896 from tuition and matriculation fees to the said University of Montana.

3. All moneys received during said years from gifts, donations or endowments.

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SEC. 2. All moneys appropriated by this Act shall be subject to the disposal of the State Board of Education, and by it expended in such manner as they shall deem best for the carrying out of the purposes of the institution and the maintenance of said University of Montana ; Provided, that no part of the funds herein appropriated shall be used for the erection, purchase, rent or repairing of building to be occupied and used as a University building.

SEC. 3. The State Board of Education is hereby empowered and authorized to expend the moneys herein above appropriated for the purposes of instituting, maintaining and carrying on the work of said University of the State of Montana, and all claims for money so expended by said Board of Education, shall be audited and allowed by the State Board of Examiners in the same manner as other claims are audited and allowed, and when so audited and allowed, the Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant for the amount or amounts in favor of the person or persons to whom the same shall have been allowed, and the Treasurer shall pay the same, as other claims are paid, out of the funds in his hands hereby appropriated for that purpose.

Approved 9:30 P. M., March 4, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 83.

AN ACT

Appropriating money for the use and benefit of the State Agricultural College.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of twenty-five thousand ($25,000.00) dollars, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose hereinafter mentioned; Fifteen thousand dollars of said sum shall be made available on May 1, 1895, for the fiscal year ending December 31st, 1895. and five thousand dollars shall be made available on May 31, 1896, for the year ending December 31st, 1896 for the erection and repairs of buildings.

SEC. 2. Two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500.00) for the use of the Agricultural College of the State of Montana for the payment of current expenses, including fuel, lights, salary of janitors, etc., for the fiscal year ending December 31st, 1895.

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SEC. 3. Two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500.00) for the use of said college for current expenses as expressed in Section 2 of this Act for the fiscal year ending December 31st, 1896.

SEC. 4. The money thereby appropriated and specified in Sections 2 and 3 of this Act shall be disbursed by the Executive Board of said College with approval and under the direction of the State Board of Education.

SEC. 5. This Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved 9:15 P. M., March 16, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 90.

AN ACT

To Provide for the Completion of the Eastern State Prison, and Furnishing the same for Occupancy.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. For the purpose of carrying out the provision of an Act approved March 3rd, 1893, entitled "An Act to Locate the Eastern State Prison of Montana, and to Provide for the erection of Prison Buildings and Appropriate Money Therefor."

SEC. 2. The sum of thirty thousand dollars for the year 1895, and the sum of twenty thousand dollars for the year 1896, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of completing and furnishing the building for occupancy.

SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved 9:15 P. M., March 19, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 183.

AN ACT

Appropriating Money for the Payment of Sheriffs for Serving Extradition Papers and Transporting Prisoners to the State Prison.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of two thousand five hundred, forty-six and eighty one-hundredths dollars ($2,546.80) be, and

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the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for the following named persons :

First. For John M. Conrow, sheriff of Park county, expenses on extradition papers and transporting convicts to the State prison in November, 1893, and November and December, 1894, $340.45.

Second. For James J. O'Marr, sheriff Meagher county, for expenses on extradition papers in the year 1894, $29.25.

Third. For W. D. Deaton, sheriff Fergus county, transporting convicts to the State prison in November, 1893, and November, 1894, $292.60.

Fourth. For Charles D. Curtis, sheriff Lewis and Clarke county, for transporting convicts to the State prison in November, 1893, and December, 1894, $89.80.

Fifth. For Samuel J. Reynolds, sheriff of Silver Bow county, for transporting convicts to the State prison in the month of September, 1894, $82.00.

Sixth. For D. McNeill, sheriff of Jefferson county, for transporting convicts to the State prison in April and July, 1893, $165.60.

Seventh. For Thomas F. Hamilton, sheriff Beaverhead county, for transporting convicts to the State prison in September, 1893, $133.40.

Eighth. For Josephus Hamilton, sheriff of Cascade county, for transporting convicts to the State prison in September, October and November, 1893, $572.60.

Ninth. For James B. Hawkins, sheriff of Custer county, for transporting convicts to the State prison in November, 1893, $383.70.

Tenth. For White Caldwell, sheriff of Gallatin county, for transporting convicts to the State prison, in November 1893, $69.50.

Eleventh. For J. M. Ramsey, sheriff of Yellowstone county, for transporting convicts to the State prison in the year 1893, $316.40.

Twelfth. For Joseph I. Haines, sheriff of Madison county, for transporting convicts to the State prison in December, 1893, $71.50.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized to draw his warrants in favor of the persons and for the amount set down opposite the name of each, as shown in section 1 of this act, and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved 1:50 P. M., March 4, 1895.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 179.

AN ACT

Appropriating money for the payment of Sheriffs for transporting persons to the State Reform School.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of four hundred, forty-four and five one-hundredths dollars ($444.45), be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for the following named persons:

First. For Missoula County, expense of transporting persons to the State Reform School, in 1894, $81.00.

Second. For White Caldwell, Sheriff of Gallatin County, expense of transporting two persons to the State Reform School in 1894, $103.20.

Third. For B. F. O'Neill, Sheriff of Choteau County, expense of transporting one person to the State Reform School in 1894, $103.15.

Fourth. For John M. Conrow. Sheriff of Park County, expense of transporting two persons to the State Reform School in 1894, $102.60.

Fifth. For John M. Ramsey, Sheriff of Yellowstone County for expense of transporting two persons to the State Reform School in 1894, $54.10.

And the State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrants on the State Treasurer for the persons herein named and the sums hereby appropriated for said persons.

SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved 6:00 P. M., March 5. 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 358.

AN ACT

Appropriating money for the payment of the claim of Silver Bow County against the State for expenses incurred in the year 1894, in transporting prisoners to the State Reform School.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of one hundred and thirty-six dollars ($136.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated to pay the claim of

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Silver Bow County against the State of Montana for expenses incurred in transporting prisoners to the State Reform School in the year 1894.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of Silver Bow County for the amount shown in Section 1 of this Act and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved 8:20 P. M., March 19, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 352.

AN ACT

Appropriating money for the payment of the claim of Granite County for transporting prisoners to the State Reform School.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That the sum of two hundred, six and seventy one-hundredths dollars ($206.70), or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the claim of Granite County for transporting prisoners to the State Reform School in the year 1894.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of the said Granite County for the amount named in Section 1 of this Act, and the State Treasurer is directed to pay the same.

SEC. 3. This Act shall be effective from and after its passage.

Approved 8:40 P. M., March 19, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 9.

AN ACT

Creating the County of Carbon, defining its boundaries, and providing for its Organization and Government.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That all that portion of Park County, and Yellowstone County situated within the following boundaries, to-wit: Beginning at a point in the midchannel of the Yellowstone River, opposite to the mouth of the Stillwater River; following thence down the mid-channel of said Yellowstone river to the intersection of said channel of said Yellowstone river with the

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township line running between Ranges twenty-four (24) East and twenty-five (25) East; thence following said township line due south to its intersection with the Western boundary of the Crow Indian Reservation; following thence in a southwesterly direction the west line of said Crow Indian Reservation to the terminus of the said southwest direction of said line; thence running due east to the intersection of the mid-channel of the Big Horn River; thence following the said channel of the said Big Horn river up in a southwesterly direction to its intersection with the North line of the State of Wyoming all of said boundary from the said Northwest corner of the Crow Indian Reservation to the Wyoming line being a part of the boundary line of the Crow Indian Reservation, as established by law; proceeding thence from the intersection of the mid-channel of the Big Horn river with the South line of the State of Montana, due west to the intersection of the south line of the State of Montana with the township line separating range fifteen (15) East from range sixteen (16) East; thence following along the line between said ranges fifteen (15) and sixteen (16) East to a point in the mid-channel of Stillwater river; thence following mid-channel of the said Stillwater river to place of beginning, be, and the same is hereby created into a new county, to be known as and named Carbon County; and the town of Red Lodge within the boundaries mentioned shall be, until otherwise provided by law, the county seat of said county, and all laws of a general nature applicable to the several counties of this State and their officers are hereby made applicable to the said county of Carbon, and its officers, as the same may hereafter be elected or appointed, save as herein otherwise specially provided.

SEC. 2. That for judicial purposes the said County shall be attached to and become part of the Seventh Judicial District of this State.

SEC. 3. That the indebtedness of the two respective counties out of whose partition the said County of Carbon is created, as the same shall exist at the close of business on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1895, shall be apportioned respectively between each of said two counties and the said counties of Carbon, by deducting from the then existing debt of each of said two first named counties respectively, all moneys belonging to each county, or in the possession, or under the control of each respective county treasurer, the excess of value between the value of county buildings, bridges, real estate, and other county property that will remain in, and belong to each of said two first named counties after the creation of Carbon County, and the value of County buildings, bridges, real estate and other County property, if any, that may remain in and become a part of Carbon County, if the

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greater value belong to one of the said two first named counties respectively, shall be deducted from; but, if the greater value belong to Carbon County, to be added to the said indebtedness. Said values to be estimated by the cost of such buildings and bridges, and real estate, as shown by the County books and the actual value of all other property as the same may exist on the first day of March, 1895, and the respective remainder as to each of said first named counties shall constitute the net debt of each for the purpose of division, and shall be divided between each of said respective counties and the said County of Carbon, in proportion a taxable property of that portion of each of said respective counties embraced in the said County of Carbon, bears to the entire taxable property of each county respectively, taking as a standard therefor the assessments of each county respectively for the year 1894; Provided, that each respective county treasurer of the said two first named counties respectively shall, at the time of the said adjustment of debt, make out and transfer to the County Commissioners of Carbon County lists of all uncollected taxes and delinquent taxpayers. That no delinquent taxes due any of said old counties respectively shall be considered in said adjustment, but the same shall be collected by the County Treasurer of each County respectively, and when collected the pro rata share thereof estimated upon the basis of adjustment aforesaid, shall be turned over from time to time to the Treasurer of Carbon County.

SEC. 4. The County Commissioners of said Carbon County shall meet with the County Commissioners of each of the said two first named counties respectively, to adjust the respective debts upon the aforesaid basis at the following respective dates, to-wit: For the County of Park, at Livingston, on the fifteenth day of May, 1895; with the County of Yellowstone, at Billings, on the twenty-eighth day of May, 1895.

When each County debt shall be as aforesaid adjusted, it is hereby made the duty of the County Commissioners of Carbon County to cause to be issued to the County Commissioners of each of said two first named counties, respectively, from time to time, a warrant or warrants therefor, payable to the Board of County Commissioners of each of said two first named counties respectively, each equaling in the aggregate the proportion of each respective net debt for which the said County of Carbon shall be liable under adjustment; which said warrants respectively, if not paid on presentation to the Treasurer of said County of Carbon shall be by him endorsed, "Not paid for want of funds." and from the date of said endorsement bear interest as other county warrants.

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SEC. 5. The County Commissioners of said County of Carbon for the purpose of funding and paying any indebtedness which may be incurred by reason of estimating any of the indebtedness of Park or Yellowstone Counties, are hereby empowered and authorized to cause to be issued, and to sell, at not less than par, the bonds of said County of Carbon, in an amount equal to said indebtedness so incurred, in the manner provided by law for the issuing and sale of county bonds.

SEC. 6. That at their first meeting the said County Commissioners of said Carbon County are empowered to subdivide said county into municipal townships, and establish road districts, and they are hereby authorized to appoint two Justices of the Peace, and two Constables for each municipal township, one road supervisor for each road district, who shall hold their respective offices until the general election in 1896, and their successors are elected or appointed, and qualified.

SEC. 7. The following named persons are hereby appointed to fill the offices set opposite their respective names:

Alvin A. Ellis.....County Commissioner.
Orville E. Millis.....County Commissioner.
Robert C. Beattie.....County Commissioner.
Thomas Hogan.....Sheriff.
Charles C. Bowlen .....Treasurer.
Edward McLean.....Clerk and Recorder.
Henry G. Province.....Assessor.
G. W. Pierson.....County Attorney.
Henry G. Newkirk.....Clerk District Court.
Lizzie McDonald.....Superintendent of Schools.
J. H. Johnson.....Coroner.
Gilbert Patterson.....Administrator.
Charles Printz.....County Surveyor.

All of said officers shall have the same powers and duties, and shall be entitled to the same fees, emoluments and salaries as are conferred upon like officers in other counties of this State, and shall in like manner give bonds, and shall enter upon the discharge of their respective duties upon giving bonds as required by law, within ten days after the passage and approval of this bill, and shall hold their respective offices until their successors are elected and qualified. The bonds given by the respective officers shall be filed with and approved by the State Auditor.

The County of Carbon shall have full power and authority to contract for transcribing such parts of the public records of each of said two first named counties, as it may appear useful and necessary to said County of Carbon and its inhabitants, and for this purpose shall have suitable access to the records of each of

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said two first named counties. When completed said transcribed records shall be compared carefully with the originals by the County Clerk and Recorder of each of said two first named counties, and if correct, he shall officially certify thereto, and thereafter certified copies of such transcribed records shall be admitted in evidence in all courts of law in this State, and be in every respect entitled to like faith and credit as the original records.

The County Clerk of each of said two first named counties shall receive for service in comparing and certifying said transcribed records, five dollars per day while actually engaged in such labor, the amount thereof to be paid upon claims to be presented to the debtor county on such completion of the work, by warrants on its general fund.

SEC. 8. The Treasurers of Yellowstone County and of Park County respectively, shall transfer and pay over to the Treasurer of said Carbon County such moneys as may be on hand on the day that this Act takes effect, namely, the 1st day of May, 1895, to the credit of such School Districts as are wholly embraced within the limits of said County of Carbon and were formerly wholly or partly within the limits of their respective counties; and shall also pay over the proper census pro rata proportion belonging to any portion, within Carbon County, of any District that may be left partly in Carbon County and partly in one or more of the old counties as aforesaid. And all such moneys shall be received and held by the Treasurer of said Carbon County to the credit and for the use of the same Districts or fractions thereof, within Carbon County as they were formerly credited to in the old counties respectively.

SEC. 9. For the purpose of finally fixing and creating the county seat of the County hereby created, the Board of County Commissioners of Carbon County shall cause to be inserted in the official ballots, when printed for the general election, held the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1896, at the end of the names of the nominees therein, the following:

"————————, for the County seat of Carbon County."

And the electors when voting at the said general election shall declare their vote upon the proposition by inserting in the space upon their ballots herein provided for, the name of a town and when the name of a town shall be inserted in the said space by the said elector, and the ballots cast as provided by law; the same shall then be deemed a vote for the designated town as the place of County seat of Carbon County, and upon a canvass of the said ballots the town having received the highest number of votes shall be declared by the canvassing board of the County of Carbon, which result shall be entered of record in the County Commissioner's books, and

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from the date of said declaration of the result the town so elected shall remain until lawfully changed the county seat of the County of Carbon.

SEC. 10. The county boundaries of Yellowstone and Park counties are hereby altered to conform to the boundaries as established by this Act, and the Act itself, save as herein otherwise provided, shall take effect from and after May 1, A. D. 1895.

Approved 3:42 P. M., March 4, 1895.

HOUSE BILL NO. 17.

AN ACT

Creating the County of Sweet Grass, defining its boundaries, and providing for its organization, and to change the boundaries of Park, Yellowstone and Meagher Counties.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

SECTION 1. That all that part of Park, Yellowstone and Meagher counties situated within the following boundaries, to-wit: Beginning at a point which when surveyed will be the south west corner of section thirty-five, T. 7, S. R. 12 E., and running thence north along the west boundaries of sections 35, 26, 23, 14, 11 and 2 of said T. 7 S. R. 12 E., continuing north along the west boundaries of sections 35, 26, 23, 14, 11 and 2 of T. 6 S. R. 12 E., to the first standard parallel south; thence east along first said parallel south to a point which when surveyed will be the southwest corner of section 35, T. 5, S. R. 12 E., thence north along the west boundary of sections 35, 26, 23, 14, 11 and 2, in each of townships of 5, 4, 3, 2 and 1 respectively; all in south range 12 E. to the intersection of base line at the northwest corner of section 2 of said T. 1; thence west along said base line to the point of intersection of R. line between ranges 11 and 12 east, thence north along range line between 11 and 12 east to a point of intersection with the line between T. 6 and 7 N. of range 12 east; thence east along said township line to the point of intersection with division lines between 18 and 19 east; thence south along the line between ranges 18 and 19 east to the point of intersection with the township line between townships 2 and 3 N.; thence east along said township line to the point of intersection with the line between ranges 19 and 20 east; thence south along the line between ranges 19 and 20 east, to the mid-channel of the Yellowstone river; thence down the mid-channel of the Yellowstone river to a point opposite the mouth of the Stillwater river or creek; thence up the mid-channel of the Stillwater river to a point of intersection

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with the line between ranges 15 and 16 east; thence south along the line between ranges 15 and 16 east, to the point of intersection with the first standard parallel south; thence west along said parallel to the northeast corner of township 6 south, of range 15 east; thence south along the line between ranges 15 and 16 east to the southeast corner of township 7 south of range 15 east; thence west along the line between townships 7 and 8 south to the place of beginning, be, and the same is hereby created into a new county to be known as, and called Sweet Grass county.

The town of Big Timber, situate within the boundaries above mentioned, shall be temporary county seat of said county until the permanent county seat shall be designated as hereinafter provided. And for the purpose of finally fixing and establishing the permanent county seat of the county hereby created, the Board of County Commissioners of Sweet Grass County shall cause to be inserted in the official ballots, when printed for the general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1896, at the foot of the names of the nominees therein the following:

"For County Seat of Sweet Grass County,....."

And the electors qualified to vote for county officers in said county, when voting at the said general election, shall declare their vote upon said proposition by inserting in the blank space upon their ballot herein provided for, the name of some one town situate within the said county, and when the name of a town shall be inserted in the said space by such elector, and the ballots have been cast as provided by law, the same shall be deemed a vote for the designated town as the place for the location of the permanent county seat of Sweet Grass County, and upon a canvass of the said votes upon said ballots to be conducted by the same board and subject to the same provisions of law as the canvass of the general ballot, the town having the highest number of votes shall be declared by said canvassing board to be the county seat of Sweet Grass county and the result of such canvass shall be entered of record in the County Commissioners' journal, and from the date of such declaration of results the said town shall be and remain, until lawfully changed, the county seat of Sweet Grass County; and all existing law or laws hereafter to be enacted, and likewise all penalties now hereafter to be enacted, relating either to the registration of voters, the general elections or the canvass of the result of the same, wherever applicable, shall apply to the county seat election hereinabove provided for. All laws of a general nature applicable to the several counties of this State or the officers thereof, are hereby made applicable to the said county of Sweet Grass and its officers, as the same may be hereafter named or appointed, save as herein otherwise specially provided.

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SEC. 2. The County of Sweet Grass shall be attached to and form a part of the Sixth Judicial District of the State of Montana.

SEC. 3. That the indebtedness of the three respective counties out of whose territory the said County of Sweet Grass is hereby created as the same shall exist at the close of business on the first day of March, 1895, shall be apportioned respectively between each of said three counties and the said County of Sweet Grass by deducting from the then existing debt of each of said three first named counties respectively all moneys belonging to each county, or in the possession or under the control of each respective county treasurer; the excess of value between the value of county buildings, bridges, real estate and other county property that will remain in and belong to each of said three first named counties after the creation of Sweet Grass County, and the value of county buildings, bridges, real estate and other county property if any, that may remain in and become a part of Sweet Grass County, if the greater value belong to one of said three first named counties respectively shall be deducted from, but if the greater value shall belong to Sweet Grass County, shall be added to said indebtedness. Said values to be estimated by the cost of such buildings, bridges and real estate, as shown by the county books, (depreciation at 3½ per cent per annum from date of construction on all bridges and buildings, to govern such estimate of value) and the actual value of all other property as the same may exist on the first day of March, 1895, and the respective remainder as to each of said first named counties shall constitute the net debt of each for the purpose of division, and shall be divided between each of said three respective counties and said County of Sweet Grass, in proportion as the taxable property of that portion of each of said respective counties, embraced in the said county of Sweet Grass bears to the entire taxable property of each county respectively, taking as a standard therefor the assessment of each county respectively for the year 1894; Provided, that each respective county treasurer of the said three first named counties respectively, shall at the time of the said adjustment of debt make out and transfer to the County Commissioners of Sweet Grass County lists of all uncollected taxes and delinquent taxpayers; that no delinquent taxes due any of the said old counties respectively shall be considered in said adjustment, but the same shall be considered by the County Treasurer of each county respectively, and when collected, the pro rata share thereof estimated upon the basis of adjustment aforesaid shall be turned over from time to time to the Treasurer of Sweet Grass County.

SEC. 4. The County Commissioners of Sweet Grass County shall meet with the County Commissioners of each of said three

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first named counties respectively to adjust the respective debts upon the aforesaid basis, at the following respective dates, to-wit: Of the county of Park, at Livingston, on the 11th day of March, 1895; of the county of Yellowstone at Billings, on the 18th day of March, 1895; and of the county of Meagher on the 1st day of April, 1895. When each county debt shall be so aforesaid adjusted; it is hereby made the duty of the County Commissioners of Sweet Grass County to cause to be issued to the County Commissioners of each of the said three first named counties respectively, from time to time, a warrant or warrants therefor, payable to the Board of County Commissioners of each of said three first named counties respectively, each warrant equalling in the aggregate the proportion of each respective net debt, for which said county of Sweet Grass shall be liable under said adjustment, which said warrants respectively if not paid on presentation to the treasurer of said county of Sweet Grass shall be by him endorsed "Not paid for want of funds," and from the date of such endorsement bear interest as other county warrants.

SEC. 5. The Treasurer of Yellowstone County, of Park and of Meagher County respectively, shall transfer and pay over to the Treasurer of said Sweet Grass County such moneys as may be on hand on the first day of March, 1895, to the credit of such school districts as are wholly embraced within the limits of said County of Sweet Grass and were formerly wholly or partly within the limits of their respective counties; and shall also pay over the proper census pro rata proportion belonging to any portion, within Sweet Grass County, of any district that may be left partly in Sweet Grass and partly in one or more of the old counties aforesaid. And all such moneys shall be received and held by the Treasurer of said Sweet Grass County to the credit and for the use of the same districts or fractions thereof, within Sweet Grass County, as they were formerly credited to in the old counties respectively.

SEC. 6. The following names presented are hereby appointed to the following county offices in the county of Sweet Grass, set opposite to their names respectively:

A. C. Logan.....County Commissioner.
J. W. Bailey .....County Commissioner.
P. O. Fallang .....County Commissioner.
E. O. Clark.....Treasurer.
Jake L. DeHart .....Sheriff.
W. A. Harrison ..... Assessor.
George F. Hudson.....Clerk and Recorder.
L. C. Olmstead .....Sup't of Public Instruction.
R. P. Dunham .....Public Administrator.
E. E. Everett .....County Surveyor.

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C. N. Skellman .....Clerk of District Court.
Sidney Fox .....County Attorney.
W. G. Strong .....Coroner.

And all of said officers shall have the same powers and duties and be entitled to the same emoluments and salaries, as are conferred upon like officers of other counties of the same class in the State; and shall in like manner give bonds, and enter upon the discharge of their respective duties, upon giving bonds, within ten days after the passage and approval of this act, and they shall hold their respective offices till their successors are elected and qualified; and be subject to all penal laws, applicable to other similar officers generally. The bonds above provided for shall be approved by and filed with the State Auditor. The said County of Sweet Grass shall have full power and authority to contract for transcribing such part of the public records of each of said three first named counties as it may deem useful and necessary to it or its inhabitants; and for this purpose shall have suitable access to the records of each of said three first named counties. When complete said transcribed records shall be carefully compared with the originals by the County Clerk and Recorder of each of said three old counties respectively, and if correct he shall officially certify thereto; and thereafter certified copies of such transcribed records shall be admitted in evidence in all courts of law in this State, and be in every respect entitled to like faith and credit as the original records.

SEC. 7. That at their first meeting the said Commissioners of Sweet Grass County are empowered to sub-divide said county into municipal townships and to establish road districts; and they are hereby authorized to appoint two justices of the peace and two constables for each of said townships, and a road supervisor for each road district. All officers of school districts heretofore in office shall continue to hold such offices; and all the officers hereinbefore provided for shall hold their respective offices until their successors are respectively elected or appointed and qualified.

SEC. 8. The county boundaries of Yellowstone, Park and Meagher counties respectively, are hereby altered to conform to the boundaries as established by this act. And all that portion of the county of Meagher lying south of the line dividing Townships 6 and 7 north, and lying east of the line dividing Ranges 18 and 19 East, is hereby bestowed on and made a part of Yellowstone county.

Approved March 5th, 1895.

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14.

Introduced by Committee on Appropriation.

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the State Board of Examiners be, and are hereby authorized to audit and allow claims against the State for Janitor services to the amount of Six Hundred Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

That upon the Board of Examiners having passed upon and allowed any claim of this nature. The Auditor of the State is hereby instructed to draw a warrant for the amounts so allowed.

Be it Further Resolved, That the State Board of Examiners be, and they are hereby authorized to audit claims against the State for clerical hire to the amount of Three Thousand Dollars in excess of the amounts otherwise appropriated.

That upon the Board of Examiners having passed upon and allowed any claim of this nature. The Auditor of the State is hereby instructed to draw a warrant for the amount so allowed.

Approved 11:58 A. M., March 13, 1895.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 15.

Introduced by Committee on Appropriations.

Be it Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fourth Legislative Assembly of Montana, the Senate concurring:

That the sum of Three Thousand Dollars be and are hereby appropriated for the fiscal year 1895, and that the sum of Three Thousand Dollars be and are appropriated for the fiscal year 1896, to pay the salary of the Register of the State Land office pursuant to the provisions of Senate Bill No. 62, creating said office.

Approved 4:55 P. M., March 12, 1895.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1.

Relative to Appropriating $2,000 to make effective Senate Concurrent Resolution relative to Lands within the Grant of Northern Pacific Railroad.

Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring:

That two thousand dollars, not otherwise appropriated, is hereby appropriated for the use of the Governor of Montana in his discretion, should occasion demand to make effective the

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power conferred upon him by Senate Concurrent Resolution relative to lands within the grant of the Northern Pacific Railroad.

Approved March 12, 1895.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. —.

Relative to lands within the grant of Northern Pacific Railroad.

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring that his Excellency, the Governor of Montana, is authorized and requested to employ such legal measures as may be necessary, by injunction or otherwise, to prevent the issue of patents of lands to the Northern Pacific Railroad Company within the State of Montana, and under regulations made by the Interior Department of the United States, until such time as the bill relating to the segregation of lands within the grant of said Railroad Company, now pending in the Congress of the United States, shall become operative as a law, or is otherwise disposed of.

Approved February 4, 1895.

HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 1.

Introduced by J. H. Monteath, of Silver Bow County.

A Memorial relating to Mineral Lands within the Northern Pacific Railroad Land Grant in Montana.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the United States:

Your Memorialists, the Fourth Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana, respectfully represent and show: That by Act of Congress of July 2nd, 1864, there was granted to the Northern Pacific Railroad Company every alternate or odd numbered section of public land, not mineral, to the amount of twenty sections per mile on each side of the line of said railroad, through the Territories (of which Montana was then one) of the United States.

All mineral lands, except those containing coal and iron, were excluded from the grant. If the alternate sections within the original limits of the grant are found to have been claimed or

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reserved, other lands in lieu are granted within indemnity limits, extending twenty miles beyond the original limits on each side of the line of road.

The length of the line of the Northern Pacific Railroad in Montana is about 780 miles. The number of acres granted in Montana is nearly eighteen millions within the original limits, and nearly five millions, if found necessary to make up deficiencies, within the indemnity limits. These figures are from official estimates of the Land Department.

By the same authority it is approximately estimated that one-third of the land within this vast grant is mineral.

The Railroad Company has persistently contended that all lands not known to be valuable for mineral at the time the Company definitely fixed the line of its road in 1882, passed to the Company under its grant. This claim has been disallowed by the Supreme Court of the United States in Barden vs. the N. P. R. R. Co. (154 U. S. 288), decided in May, 1894.

That Court held that the Railroad Company acquired no title or right under its grant to lands valuable for mineral (except coal and iron), and that such lands were expressly excluded from the grant, that the Land Department of the Government, under laws now existing or hereafter to be enacted, had the power, and it was its duty, to investigate and determine the mineral or other character of the lands within the grant before it issued any patent to the Railroad Company, and that the Company had no claim to any lands known to be valuable for minerals before patent issued to it.

The Court says that it was never the intention of Congress to grant any lands valuable for mineral to the Railroad Company, but that, on the contrary, it was the intention to preserve all such lands for exploration and purchase by citizens of the United States.

It is not necessary to dwell upon the importance, not only to the citizens of Montana, but the Government of the United States and all its people, of the present as well as future generations, of keeping these mineral lands for exploration and development and of preventing them from becoming the property of a railroad corporation.

Certainly, any proposed legislation having these ends in view should be entitled to serious consideration and encouragement.

There is now pending before your Honorable body H. R. 3476, Fifty-Third Congress, second session, entitled "An Act to provide for the examination and classification of certain mineral lands in the States of Montana and Idaho." The Bill has already passed the House of Representatives and is the same as Senate

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Bill No. 434, introduced into your body before the passage of the House Bill. H. R. 3476 provides for the examination and classification, as to their mineral or non-mineral character, of lands, both surveyed and unsurveyed, within the Northern Pacific Railroad grant in Montana and Idaho, by Commissioners to be appointed by the President of the United States. These Commissioners are to examine and report as to such lands to the Land Department, and opportunity is given to contest their findings by the Railroad Company or other parties interested. The object of the bill is to have the mineral lands ascertained and segregated as speedily as possible, consistently with the rights of all parties, and to preserve such lands for the people and from the railroad corporation, in accordance with the intention of Congress and the law as declared by the Supreme Court of the United States. Your Memorialists believe that the bill will effectually attain this result.

Pending the consideration of this bill in your honorable body, the Secretary of the Interior has promulgated certain rules and regulations, under date of July 9th, 1894," in the matter of the selection by railroad companies of land in satisfaction of their grants."

The main features of these rules and regulations are that the examinations and reports as to the mineral or non-mineral character of these lands are to be made by the "agents and employes" of the railroad companies; that the burden and expense of contest is put upon the individual mineral claimants, and that the interest and duty of the government to preserve the mineral lands for the people is entirely ignored. Your Memorialists cannot too strongly condemn and protest against these rules and regulations.

They are ill-advised and unjust. Their enforcement can have no other result than to vest title to a large proportion of the mineral lands in the railroad corporations, in the teeth of the intention of Congress and of the law as declared by the highest tribunal of our country.

H. R. 3476 should become a law, even if there were no other reasons for its enactment, to prevent the carrying out of these rules and regulations.

In view of the foregoing facts, your Memorialists respectfully, but earnestly and heartily, ask the passage by your honorable body, as speedily as practicable and before the end of the Fifty-Third Congress, of H. R. 3476, above referred to, and your Memorialists will ever pray, etc.

Approved January 26, 1895.

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HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 2.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.:

We, your Memorialists, the Fourth Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana, respectfully represent:

That within the County of Cascade in this State, there is now a tract of land known as the Fort Shaw Military Reservation.

That said tract contains about seventy-seven (77) square miles of land and is situated in the heart of the Sun River Valley, embodying within its limits the best and most valuable agricultural lands in said valley.

That said reservation was abandoned for military purposes by act of Congress about three years back and subsequently our Indian school was established thereon by the Government.

Further: That under existing conditions this large, valuable tract of land is a barren waste, unoccupied and unproductive.

In view of the above facts we respectfully pray:

1. That you will set apart only so much of said tract as may be sufficient for the purposes of said Indian school,—said school land to contain the buildings and appurtenances as now existing,—which said school tract is to be continued in its present uses, and

2. That after such selection for said school the remainder of said Fort Shaw Military Reservation be opened to homestead settlers—only under such conditions and restrictions as may be deemed wise.

3. That in view of the agricultural immigration now coming to our State, we earnestly pray for an early consideration of this our memorial.

Approved February 6, 1895.

MEMORIAL.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.:

We your memorialists of the Fourth Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana, respectfully represent:

That by law and the proclamation of the President of the United States made October 15th, 1892, the homestead entry settlers upon the then ceded portion of the Crow Reserve are required to pay $1.50 per acre in addition to complying with the other and usual homestead entry laws, and in addition to paying

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the other and usual homestead entry fees. That said tract of land contained within the lately ceded portion of the Crow Reserve, is desert land, within the meaning of the desert entry laws. That all of said land requires artificial irrigation to grow agricultural crops successfully That said irrigation imposes an additional and large burden upon the homestead entry settlers.

That we know of no good and sufficient reason why the homestead entry settlers upon this tract, should be subject to greater burdens than homestead entry settlers are in other parts of the United States.

In view of the above facts, we respectfully pray that you will abolish said additional charge of $1.50 per acre, and allow the homestead entry settlers upon this tract to obtain title to their lands upon compliance with the same requirements that obtain upon the general law on the subject, thus relieving a large and worthy class of an unjust burden.

For the early consideration of this, our memorial, we earnestly pray.

Approved March 4, 1895.

MEMORIAL.

To the Honorable, the Senate and House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.:

We your Memorialists, the Fourth Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana respectfully represent:

That Whereas, the President of the United States and other prominent officials of our country have suggested the issuance of a large amount of United States Bonds, and

Whereas, The country is now in a condition of peace, and the most productive and recuperative Nation on earth, and

Whereas, Believing such issue of bonds would be detrimental to the prosperity of the vast majority of citizens of the country, and would eventually, bear especially hard upon the most numerous and poorer class of our people, wherever residing throughout the land, and could only in any event inure to the advantage of the wealthy capitalists and money powers of this country and Europe, Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring,

That we sincerely and earnestly protest against the Government of the United States issuing bonds, as has been recommended, and

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Be it Resolved, That we request the Senators and Members of Congress from this State to use their best efforts and all honorable means to prevent the passage of any Act, authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States to issue United States Bonds at this time and under existing circumstances.

Approved 4:00 P. M., March 2, 1895.

SENATE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 1.

Praying for the Restoration of the Constitutional Standard of Gold and Silver in the United States.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the United States in Congress assembled:

Your memorialists, the Senate and House of Representatives, composing the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana, represent to your honorable body that the business of mining, which is one of the chief industries of this State, requiring for the successful prosecution thereof, the expenditure of large sums of money in the development and exploration of mines and in the erection and construction of quartz mills, smelting works, and other machinery and appliances necessary to the reduction of our ores and the separation of the precious metals therefrom, is practically suspended and all other industries of our State are crippled because of the depreciated price of silver, due to its restricted use as a money metal.

For this and other reasons, your memorialists earnestly pray for the passage of an Act restoring to the people of the United States the constitutional standard of gold and silver under the conditions of free bi-metallic coinage as the same existed prior to the Act of 1873, and your memorialists will, as in duty bound, forever pray.

Approved February 7, 1895.

SENATE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 2.

Relative to Opening the Flathead Indian Reservation.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives, of the United States in Congress assembled:

Your memorialists, the Senate and House of Representatives, composing the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana, represent to your honorable body, that in the western part of the

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State of Montana there lies a large area of country, containing in the aggregate about 3,600 square miles, known as the Flathead Indian Reservation; that this country is largely agricultural and mineral in character, there being one principal range of mountains running across said reservation from north to south, in which are known to be large mineral deposits, and that much of the balance is very fertile agricultural land; and further represent that upon said reservation there are but 1,800 Indians, and that said Indians are far enough advanced in civilization that they should be alloted lands in severalty, and the remaining portion of said reservation should be thrown open to actual settlers and miners. We further represent that the agricultural lands now remaining open to settlers in this state are largly far from water, and so expensive to reclaim, that for men with limited means, it is impossible for them to acquire and claim said lands for homes. We further represent that there are many people in this State who would be glad of an opportunity to procure cheap homes, and we believe the time has now arrived when the said Flathead Indian Reservation should be thrown open to actual settlers.

For this and other reasons, your memorialists earnestly pray for such legislation as will be necessary to open said Indian Reservation, and your memorialists will, as in duty bound, forever pray.

Approved February 20, 1895.

SENATE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 3.

Senate Joint Memorial to Congress asking for increased appropriations for the Yellowstone National Park.

To the Honorable, the Senate and House of Representatives in Congress assembled:

Your Memorialists, the Fourth Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana would most respectfully represent:

That the Yellowstone National Park is the largest and most interesting public park in the world. It embraces an area of fifty-five miles wide by seventy-five miles long, covering the greatest watershed on the continent. Its natural scenery, in grandeur and variety, is unequalled by anything known on the earth's surface. Its thousands of hot springs and hundreds of geysers are to be seen nowhere else on earth. The latter are of all sizes; some but a few inches in diameter, spurting water and steam eight and ten feet high, while others two to one hundred feet in diameter throw to the height of from fifty to three hundred feet. The beholder is dazed at the awe-inspiring scenes

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before him. The Congress that over twenty-four years ago dedicated this wonderful region to the public had little conception of the wonders nature had planted there or of the awe-inspiring grandeur of its scenery. And those who listen to the reading of this memorial, and who have not visited the Park, can have little appreciation of its wonders or of the indescribable pleasure of a visit to it. Its majestic mountains, lovely valleys, beautiful grass plats and charming groves of timber; its paint pots of many colors; its lakes and pools of water with the colors of the rainbow, and its rumbling mud geysers, can not be described on paper.

The most sublime of all the grand things to be seen in the Park are the Great Falls and Grand Canon of the Yellowstone, the like of which can be seen nowhere else. No tongue can describe them, no pen or brush can paint them. The visitor, standing on the brink of the Grand Canon, whether at Lookout Point or Inspiration Point, is dazed by the splendors which confront him. Looking down an incline into the gorge two and a half to three miles down he sees the great Yellowstone river, apparently but a few feet in width. Its immense volume of water has just passed over the highest waterfall on the continent and goes foaming and seething over innumerable cataracts for many miles to the mouth of the gorge. He uncovers himself in the presence of the surroundings and is overwhelmed with feelings that he cannot describe. The gorgeous and unpainted colors that nature has given to the formation which composes the walls of the canon, recall to him the remark that Moran made when he put upon canvas the famous picture now hanging in the capitol at Washington: "I dare not paint with absolute fidelity to nature the colors before me, for no one would believe it to be true."

Your Memorialists would respectfully represent that for nearly a quarter of a century the government has had this wonderful region under its fostering care and much has been done to improve it. But the annual appropriations have been and are still inadequate to preserve and protect the Park as should be done by a great nation. Government authorities have the Park in charge and from the limited appropriations made from time to time something near one hundred and fifty miles of road have been constructed within its limits. The altitude of the Park is seven thousand to eight thousand feet above the level of the sea. The snow falls to a great depth in the winter, and as it passes off in the spring occasions a great flow of water, washing away much of the roads that are built of earth, also destroying wooden bridges and culverts. The result is that it now takes the greater portion of each annual appropriation to put the roads in repair

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each season andleaves little, if any, for new construction. There are many extensions of new roads that should be built into interesting parts of the Park that cannot now be reached by vehicle. Many of the roads built are narrow and on steeper grades than they should be, caused by insufficient appropriations. There now exists in the Park, at a point above the Upper Falls of the Yellowstone, a partially completed bridge, the construction of which was undertaken by the government engineer over two years ago, which it has been impracticable to complete because of the insufficiency of the appropriations. This bridge would enable tourists to reach interesting points commanding most beautiful views of the upper river and canon, and it should be completed. Other needed improvements at points of interest should be made, such as building foot bridges at geysers, stairs or steps at Mammoth Springs and about the falls and Grand Canon, and platforms with railings at various points, thus rendering sight seeing more convenient, safe and without the fatigue now necessary.

Your Memorialists would further represent that such portions of the roads in the Park as are affected by freshets and unusual flow of water should be macadamized, and culverts built of stone, of which there are great quantities all through the Park, and the work could be cheaply done. With macadamized roads at points that are now washed out each season, and culverts protected by stone, much of the appropriation used in the past for repairs could be thus saved and applied to new roads and extensions.

This wonderful region, this great forest and game preserve, should be protected in a manner worthy of a great and beneficent government. Over three thousand people from different parts of the United States other than Montana visit this Park annually, and the number is increasing each season. Hundreds of citizens of Montana annually go to this place of resort, spending days and weeks with their families. The Park is equipped with good hotels and other accommodations for the public at most of the important places to which roads have been built. With increased appropriations new and better roads will be built, and the travel to the Park would increase two-fold in a short time.

Wherefore, To the end that this unequalled and unparalleled country, full of natural wonders to be seen nowhere else, may be improved, protected and preserved to the people in a manner becoming a great nation like ours, your memorialists pray your honorable body to make increased and additional appropriations to be disbursed by the authorities in charge for the purpose herein suggested. You will thus give employment to many who

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are worthy and are left idle by the depression in the mining industry in the west, as well as improve and preserve that which should be the pride of any nation.

Your Memorialists will ever pray.

Approved February 28, 1895.

SENATE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 4.

Introduced by Committee on Public Lands.

A Memorial Concerning the Proposed Abolition of the Office of Surveyor-General and Register and Receiver of the Land Office.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the United States, in Congress assembled:

Your Memorialists the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Montana, do most respectfully represent:

That that certain bill introduced in and now pending in the House of Representatives of the United States and numbered House Bill No. 8504 and which abolishes the office of Surveyor-General and provides for the creation of a bureau in connection with the Department of the Interior wherein business now transacted in the Surveyor-General's office is hereafter to be transacted, and the pending measure to abolish the office of Register and Receiver of the Land Office are such that we earnestly protest against and most respectfully petition shall not be enacted into laws; that in our new and rapidly growing commonwealth every facility ought to be afforded to miners and settlers to acquire the title to government lands necessary for their occupation; the prosperity, the existence of our State depends upon the development and exploitation of these lands; to throw therefore around the acquisition of title thereto any further or greater obstacle than those now existing, as would inevitably result if the proposed measures become laws, would be a hardship amounting indeed to a calamity to the people of this State.

Your Memorialists do therefore most earnestly pray that such measures be not passed by your honorable bodies; that the offices referred to be not abolished; and they will ever pray.

Approved March 12, 1895.

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SENATE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 5.

Praying for the Removal of Certain Obstructions existing in the Clark's Fork of the Columbia River.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives in Congress assembled:

Your Memorialists, the Senate and House of Representatives, composing the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana, represent to your honorable body, that there now exists in Clark's Fork of the Columbia river, at or near the International boundary line between the United States and British America certain falls which prevent the access of the Columbia river salmon, into the lakes and rivers of northern Idaho and western Montana.

We further represent that by the removal of said obstructions these fish would be able to ascend into the large lakes and rivers of a great area of country embracing all of northern Idaho and western Montana, and that the benefits to the citizens of these states would be very great, not only in furnishing food but also in making possible the establishment of large canning and fishing industries.

For these and other reasons your memorialists earnestly pray for an appropriation for the purpose of removing these obstructions and your memorialists will as in duty bound forever pray.

Approved March 7, 1895.

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